Mountain Weather Forecast

Lake District National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 09 Apr 2023 until 23:59 on Monday 10 Apr 2023

Forecast Issued on Sunday 09 Apr 2023 at 02:09

Confidence: High confidence for overall weather story but low confidence on track of low pressure system Tuesday into Wednesday.

Headline for Sunday 09 Apr 2023: Mostly fine and dry until late evening when low cloud and rain push in from the west. Strong southeasterly winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 09 Apr 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
Low Likelihood

Severe chill effect
Low Likelihood

Poor visibility
Low Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain	Heavy Rain
Precipitation probability					
10%	10%	10%	10%	30%	60%

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Weather: Fine and dry through much of Sunday with patchy high cloud, perhaps a little low cloud for a time during the morning in the east. Low cloud starting to push in from the west late evening with rain following behind, this heavy later.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90%, but 20% in the southeast at first, until evening when chance drops to 10-20%.

Low cloud and visibility: Mainly good throughout the day but a little low cloud base 700-800m in the east during the morning. Low cloud base 600-800m pushes in from the west, with visibility reducing to moderate in rain, late evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	29/35 SE	33/41 SE	31/40 S	32/41 S	39/49 S	37/47 S	37/48 S
600	25/35 SE	25/34 SE	28/39 S	30/41 S	30/42 S	30/43 S	29/41 S
300	9/27 SE	14/30 SE	15/33 S	16/34 S	13/35 S	12/33 S	12/33 S
Valley	7/23 SE	11/23 SE	13/27 S	14/28 S	12/30 S	11/28 S	12/30 S

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	4/-3	2/-6	4/-2	6/-0	7/0	4/-2	4/-3
600	4/-1	5/-1	7/2	8/3	9/4	6/1	6/-0
300	6/3	8/4	10/7	11/8	11/8	8/5	7/4
Valley	8/6	10/7	12/9	13/11	13/10	10/8	10/7
Freezing Level*	1200m	1100m	1200m	1400m	1600m	1700m	1800m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Be aware of increasing winds, particularly at height where they may reach gale force.

Forecast for Monday 10 Apr 2023

Weather: Low cloud and rain clearing east during the early hours of Monday. Mainly dry and bright through the morning, with scattered showers into the afternoon and evening.

Maximum wind: Southerly 20 gust 30 mph at first, becoming southwesterly 15-20 gust 25-30 mph later.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 20% becoming 70%.

Low cloud and visibility: Low cloud base 500-700m at first, soon clearing. Scattered low cloud base 600-800m in association with showers later. Temporary reductions in visibility in rain or showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 8-10 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 3-5 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits, dropping to 1000m during the day.

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Ground Conditions Supplement
Date: Saturday 8 April 2023 Location: Causey Pike (637m) at 09:52
Full report: Another dry and fine day in the Lakes with plenty of warm sunshine and light winds. The fells and paths throughout the Lakes are snow-free, with just a couple of tiny, negligible patches of snow remaining high up on Helvellyn. Another dry day is expected tomorrow, however, winds are forecast to strengthen through the day and a frontal system will bring some precipitation by the evening. Anyone heading out tomorrow should take plenty of warm and waterproof clothing, including hats and gloves, a map and compass, as well as emergency kit including a group shelter/survival blanket, headtorch, and spare warm layers.
Temperature: plus 9.3 C, Maximum wind speed 6.3 mph, Wind chill: plus 8.3 C, Average wind speed 4.1 mph

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